

Grants Pass Department of Public Safety



Date: 08-22-17

Nature: Shooting Incident Incident Number: 17-39392

Location: Westholm Park

Date/Time Reported: Tuesday, August 22, 2017 5:22PM

Complete by: Det. Yerrick Approved by: DC Hamilton

Arrestee:

Macias, Tyler K. 23 YOA

Transient

Charges:

Assault 1

Felon in Possession of a Firearm

Unlawful Use of a Weapon

Victim:

Patino, Ruben Gonzalez 35 YOA

Grants Pass Resident

Narrative:

On Friday, August 18, 2017 at 10:45 PM, the Grants Pass Department of Public Safety responded to a call of shots fired in the area of NW 3rd Street/NW E Street. Multiple officers responded to the scene and discovered Ruben

Narrative continued:

Patino on the ground with apparent gunshot wounds. Officers rendered medical attention to Mr. Patino until medical personnel from Grants Pass Fire/Rescue and American Medical Response responded to assist. Mr. Patino was transported to Three Rivers Medical Center where he received treatment for several gunshot wounds.

Detectives with the Grants Pass Department of Public Safety assumed the investigation and developed information identifying the shooter in the incident as Tyler Macias. While conducting active surveillance, detectives observed Mr. Macias walking through Westholm Park. The decision was made at that time to take Mr. Macias into custody as there were few occupants in the park at that time. Multiple detectives and patrol units responded to the area and Mr. Macias was taken into custody without incident. He was transported and lodged at the Josephine County Jail on the above listed charges.

The investigation regarding this incident is ongoing. Anyone who witnessed the incident or has further information on this matter is encouraged to contact the Grants Pass Department of Public Safety at 541-450-6260.